

## Get ready for Phonics

An interactive and practical course, developing knowledge, ideas and strategies to support children struggling with phonics.

**Some children struggle with phonics skills due to underlying difficulties with phonological awareness; skills which are critical for learning to read any alphabetic writing system. Research shows that difficulty with phonological awareness skills is a predictor of poor reading and spelling development.**

The **Course Aims** to enable participants better support children struggling with phonics and improve their outcomes by developing knowledge and practical skills, facilitating the implementation of effective phonological awareness groups.

### After attending participants will be able to:

- Understand phonological awareness, what it is, how it develops and relates to literacy.
- Identify children who need additional support.
- Run a small group intervention for children who are struggling with phonics.
- Utilise effective strategies to support phonological awareness skills in the classroom.
- Use materials and resources provided to support better outcomes for children.

### Who is the course for:

SENCOs, teachers, teaching assistants working with children who are struggling with phonics.

**Date/s:** Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2017

**Course Length:** 1 day (9.30 – 3.00)

**Location:** Barnsley, South Yorkshire.

**Venue:** Carlton Primary Academy

**Course tutor/s:** W Lee

**Course fee:** £100.00, excluding VAT

(optional) £75.00 for Phonological Awareness Intervention (25% discount for participants)

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**All our courses** are evidence informed, interactive and practical. They aim to develop skills and understanding, so that participants are better able to support and improve outcomes for all children.

